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Subject: FW: PFOA Sampling - Plattsburgh
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Hi Carla, Julie and Chloe

Bob provided additional info on the PFOA sampling program at Plattsburgh as an FYI and assistance in JB McG-Lakehurst

Still no "action" requirements established, but a good means of determining IF and where the PFOAs may be.

Rob

From: Morse, Bob
Sent: Wednesday, October 29, 2014 4:49 PM
To: Alvey, Robert; Pocze, Doug
Subject: RE: PFOA Sampling

Rob and Douglas:

Fire Training Areas, one at each base, are a given for investigation / sampling. Plattsburgh completed its FTA sampling around 2 weeks ago and Griffiss's is about to begin. These investigations will be conducted in 2 steps: 1) Determine if PFCs are present: 2) If PFCs are detected, determine the nature and extent of contamination. This would include pathway analysis, risk stuff etc. Then, If screening values are exceeded, the AF would perform mitigation measures.

While all that is going on, what amounts to a base-wide Preliminary Assessment for PFCs has been underway. Records searches are being conducted, and a list of additional potential sites is being compiled. Base-wide PA-type Reports, with recommendations, will then be written and submitted to EPA and NY for review. If any sites are selected for investigation, work plans would be written, submitted for review, etc etc etc.

I have attached the initial AF notification letters to EPA (includes duplicate to NYSDEC) and site-specific work plans for the 2 Fire Training Areas.

Let me know if you need more.

Bob

From: Alvey, Robert
Sent: Wednesday, October 29, 2014 4:06 PM
To: Pocze, Doug
Cc: McPherson, Julie; Struble, Carla; Metz, Chloe; Morse, Bob
Subject: RE: PFOA Sampling

Thanks Doug, I briefly talked about this with Julie as well as Chloe Metz.
I also do feel it would be helpful for me to learn what went on at Griffiths and Plattsburgh bases.
Perhaps Bob would be helpful and explain to me a bit what was considered best as "locations".

From: Pocze, Doug
Sent: Wednesday, October 29, 2014 4:02 PM
To: Alvey, Robert
Cc: McPherson, Julie; Struble, Carla; Metz, Chloe
Subject: PFOA Sampling

Rob,

As discussed, perhaps in about 2-3 weeks we could meet to discuss sites and wells for sampling PFOAs at McGuire/Lakehurst.
(Julie – you are more than welcome to attend).

My thoughts:

- Sampling should be to obtain enough info to either indicate the presence of PFOAs or not
- Select AOCs that were Fire Training sites or which may have used PFOAs as fire suppressants
- Select AOCs which have sufficient wells
- Select 2 AOCs ... splitting the number of samples at the AOCs (6-7 samples per site)
- Sites: McGuire or Lakehurst or 1 AOC at each. Rationale: easy travel for Edison, sites have fire-fighting activities and probably used PFOAs, collecting data may "push" them into implementing that PFOA sampling program we keep hearing about .. at least for McGuire

I spoke with Dept of Substance Control Agency (Erika Houtz) who is performing the sampling and they can sample up to 15 samples. We just have to ship the samples to them.

I will try and review sampling plan from Plattsburg which already sampled for PFOAs although I have to check with Bob Morse as to the results.

Will work with Amelia on SAP once the sites are selected. She has blocked-off a week in mid-March 2015 to sample.

doug

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